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AMENDMENT

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

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In response to the Office Action of October 25, 2007, it is requested that the following amendments be made:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The Disclosure and Application Data Sheets should read:

"CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This is a ~~continuation-in-part~~ non-provisional application of provisional application number 60/481,184, filed August 6, 2003, which is related to my Patent Nos. 5,328,851, 6,087,183, and 6,565,811 and to its co-pending U.S. applications Serial Nos. 08/377,966 [filed 01/25/1995] and 09/611,744 [filed 07/07/2000] now Patent Numbers 6,762,060B1 and 6,642,057B1. The ~~DISOF~~ disclosures of all of said applications and patents are incorporated herein by reference."

[0006] Should read:

"The need for efficient aerosol collectors has been appreciated for more than a decade both for all point bio-detection systems and for future chemical point ~~detectors~~, detectors, and ~~sSeveral~~